

**RECEIVED**  
**CENTRAL FAX CENTER**  
**OCT 07 2004**

## FAX TRANSMISSION

**DATE:** October 7, 2004

**PTO IDENTIFIER:** Application Number 09/287,530  
Patent Number

**Inventor:** Kenji MASAKI

**MESSAGE TO:** Examiner Barry Choobin  
US Patent and Trademark Office

**FAX NUMBER:** (703) 872-9314

**FROM:** MORRISON & FOERSTER LLP  
Barry Bretschneider

**PHONE:** (703) 760-7743

**Attorney Dkt. #:** 325772009100

**PAGES (Including Cover Sheet):** 4

**CONTENTS:**

- 1) Authorization to Act in a Representative Capacity (1 pg)
- 2) Limited Recognition Under 37 CFR 10.9(b) (1 pg)
- 3) Certificate of Transmission Under 37 CFR 1.8 (1 pg)

If your receipt of this transmission is in error, please notify this firm immediately by collect call to sender at (703) 760-7744 and send the original transmission to us by return mail at the address below.

This transmission is intended for the sole use of the individual and entity to whom it is addressed, and may contain information that is privileged, confidential and exempt from disclosure under applicable law. You are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution or duplication of this transmission by someone other than the intended addressee or its designated agent is strictly prohibited.

**MORRISON & FOERSTER LLP**  
1650 Tysons Blvd, Suite 300, McLean, Virginia 22102  
**Telephone:** (703) 760-7700 **Facsimile:** (703) 760-7777

PTO/SB/97 (12-97)

Approved for use through 9/30/00. OMB 0651-0031

Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

## Certificate of Transmission Under 37 CFR 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States  
Patent and Trademark Office

on October 7, 2004  
Date

Nadine E. Johnson  
Signature

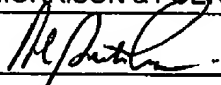
Nadine E. Johnson  
Typed or printed name of person signing Certificate

Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of transmission, or this certificate must identify each submitted paper.

1. Authorization to Act in a Representative Capacity (1 pg)
2. Limited Recognition Under 37 CFR 10.9(b) (1 pg)
3. Certificate of Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8 (1 pg)

**RECEIVED**  
**CENTRAL FAX CENTER**  
**OCT 07 2004**

**AUTHORIZATION TO ACT IN A REPRESENTATIVE CAPACITY**

In re Application of: Kenji MASAKI			
Application No. 09/287,530			
Filed: April 7, 1999			
Title: DIGITAL IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS			
Attorney Docket No. 32577-2009100		Art Unit: 2625	
The practitioner named below is authorized to conduct interviews and has the authority to bind the principal concerned. Furthermore, the practitioner is authorized to file correspondence in the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.34:			
	<b>Name</b>	<b>Registration Number</b>	
	Takamitsu Fujiu	Limited Recognition Under 37 CFR 10.9(b)	
<p><b>This is not a Power of Attorney to the above-named practitioner.</b> Accordingly, the practitioner named above does not have authority to sign a request to change the correspondence address, a request for an express abandonment, a disclaimer, a power of attorney, or other document requiring the signature of the applicant, assignee of the entire interest or an attorney of record. If appropriate, a separate Power of Attorney to the above named practitioner should be executed and filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.</p>			
<b>SIGNATURE of Practitioner of Record</b>			
<b>Name</b>	Barry E. Bretschneider MORRISON & FOERSTER LLP		
<b>Signature</b>		<b>Date</b>	October 6, 2004
<b>Registration Number</b>	28,055	<b>Telephone</b>	(703) 760-7743

This form offers a sample or suggested format for an authorization of a practitioner who is not of record. See MPEP § 713.05 for more information. This sample form is not an OMB officially approved form.  
 If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.


**BEFORE THE OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT AND DISCIPLINE  
UNITED STATE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**LIMITED RECOGNITION UNDER 37 CFR § 10.9(b)**

Takamitsu Fujiu is hereby given limited recognition under 37 CFR § 10.9(b), as an employee of the law firm of Morrison & Foerster LLP, to prepare and prosecute patent applications wherein the patent applicant is a client of the law firm of Morrison & Foerster LLP, and a registered practitioner, who is a member of the law firm of Morrison & Foerster LLP, is the practitioner of record in the applications. This limited recognition shall expire on the date appearing below, or when whichever of the following events first occurs prior to the date appearing below: (i) Takamitsu Fujiu ceases to lawfully reside in the United States, (ii) Takamitsu Fujiu's employment with the law firm of Morrison & Foerster LLP, ceases or is terminated, or (iii) Takamitsu Fujiu ceases to remain or reside in the United States on an H-1B visa.

This document constitutes proof of such limited recognition. The original of this document is on file in the Office of Enrollment and Discipline of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

**Expires: February 14, 2005**

  
Harry I. Moatz  
Director of Enrollment and Discipline